Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: Industrial Technology Timber Excursion 2016

On Friday 24 June 2016, Industrial Technology Timber students will have the opportunity to attend a full day excursion to Sydney Showground, Olympic Park, Homebush to visit the Sydney Timber and Working with Wood Show.

Students will be leaving school by coach at 8:25am and returning to school by 2.50pm.

The cost of the day, covering entry into the event and transportation, has been charged to your daughter’s school fee account.

This excursion will provide the girls with the chance to see exhibitions from a wide range of businesses in the timber industry as well as finished projects of very high quality both from professionals and from 2015 Year 12 students major design projects. Some of our own students have previously had their HSC work on display. There will be hands on activities, many species of timber on display and for sale, demonstrations of woodturning, marquetry, pyrography, dovetailing, box making and safe use of a range of power tools, equipment and techniques. There are also a number of free seminars which run during the day. In short, the show comprehensively covers all aspects of the industry and provides the girls with the opportunity to see, feel and smell things that would otherwise be observed from a textbook. In addition, the senior students are able to make contacts for materials for their HSC major projects.

The group will leave Sydney at 1:00pm and return before school finishes at 2:55 pm to enable students to catch their usual buses home. Unfortunately, unpredictable delays may occur on the M1, particularly on Friday afternoons. For this reason, I would request that parents have alternative transport arrangements in place in case of such a delay occurring. If you contact the school on 4324 4022 after 2:00pm on the day, we will be able to provide you with information about our expected return time.

Students must wear their full school uniform on the day and bring a pen and clipboard. Students can bring their own food and drink for lunch, or use the facilities provided (although these may be expensive and crowded).

Your daughter is required to return this permission note to her teacher by Friday 17 June.

If you have any questions concerning the day, please do not hesitate to contact us during school hours.

A Evanson
Leader of Learning TAS

I give permission for my daughter ___________________________ of class ___________ to attend the excursion to Homebush on Friday 24 June, 2016. I have alternative arrangements in place in case of delayed return.

Return this permission note to your Timber teacher: ___________________________

(Fill in teacher’s name)

Signed: ___________________________

Parent/Guardian